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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 27 July 2009 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

1. The amendment filed on 7/24/09 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been entered-in-part.

Each amendment to specification may be entered except the amendment to the paragraph on page 20, lines 13-21. The phrase "one or more of" added to the paragraph on page 20, lines 13-21 is new matter that is not supported by the instant disclosure.

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